## **Children's Special Health Care Services**

Helping families pay for medical treatment for children with serious, chronic medical conditions.

## Qualifications for child and family:

Medical:

Child must have at least one of 23 conditions.

Financial:

An individual over age 18 or a family must be at or below the Federal

Poverty Guideline levels of 250 percent, (e.g. for 2008, a family of four

cannot gross more than \$4,418 per month or \$53,000 per year).

Others:

The Children's Special Health Care Services (CSHCS) serves children from

birth to age 21.

Applicant must be an Indiana resident and must provide proof. Applicant must apply for Indiana Hoosier Healthwise/Medicaid.

Applicant does not have to be a United States Citizen to apply, but the child

and/or the family cannot be in the country on a Visa.

Cystic Fibrosis clients can apply at any age and stay on the program for life as long as they remain financially eligible.

Specialty care

Travel reimbursement\*

Well child & sick child care

## **Covered Services:**

Basic dental care

Durable medical equipment (DME)

Medical Therapies

Prescription drugs

\*Travel must be at least 50 miles or more roundtrip.

## **Non-Covered Services:**

Allergies or Over-the-counter medicines Bariatrics treatment/Experimental Horse/Massage/Music Blindness & most eye conditions Developmental Delay problems Mental Health problems or conditions Emergency Room visits and hospitalizations not related to the eligible medical condition

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